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Officer David Moore Memorial Blood Drive to be held Friday

Marion County Prosecutor's Office to hold sixth annual event in honor of fallen IMPD Officers David Moore, Rod Bradway, and Perry Renn

(Indianapolis, Ind.) The Sixth Annual Officer David Moore Memorial Blood Drive will be held on Friday, Jan. 22, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the City Market. Hosted annually by the Marion County Prosecutor's Office and Prosecutor Terry Curry, this event honors fallen IMPD Officers David Moore, Rod Bradway, and Perry Renn. The public is encouraged to attend and donate.

What: Sixth Annual Officer David Moore Memorial Blood Drive honoring Officer David Moore, Officer Rod Bradway, and Officer Perry Renn

When: **FRIDAY**, Jan. 22
9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Where: The Platform at the City Market, West Wing
222 East Market Street, Indianapolis

Walk-ins are welcome. Donors may also register in advance online at https://www.donorpoint.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/98995.

The annual event is coordinated through the Indiana Blood Center and helps ensure a stable blood supply for patients in need at more than 60 hospitals across the state. Hospital demand requires Indiana Blood Center to see 550 donors every day.

Donors must be 17 years old (16 with parental consent) and weigh at least 110 pounds. Donors who are unable to attend the blood drive at the City Market are encouraged to donate at any of Indiana Blood Center's nine locations throughout the state. Please visit www.indianablood.org for more information.

Background on officers honored at the event:

While on duty, Officer David Moore was shot by Thomas Hardy on January 23, 2011. He died three days later as a result of those injuries. Hardy is serving a life without parole sentence for the murder of Officer Moore, plus 40 years for related robbery and firearms charges.

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Officer Rod Bradway lost his life in the early morning hours of September 20, 2013. While responding to a domestic violence disturbance, Officer Bradway was shot by Steven Byrdo, who in turn was shot and killed by another officer.

Officer Perry Renn was shot while on duty on July 5, 2014. He died later that evening as a result of those injuries. Major Davis II has been charged in the shooting death of Officer Renn.

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NOTE: Prosecutor Terry Curry; Spencer Moore, father of Officer David Moore; and Lance Lewis, recipient of Officer Moore's organ donation, will be available to speak with the media before or during the event. Please contact Michael Leffler at (317) 327-5516 to schedule an interview.